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# Doing Business with the National Renewable Energy Laboratory

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# About NREL

- NREL is the only federal laboratory dedicated to renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies
- Main Campus – Golden, Colorado
- Flat Irons Campus – Boulder, Colorado
- CCHRC Campus – Fairbanks, Alaska

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## Procurement

NREL offers numerous procurement opportunities to help commercialize renewable energy technologies and supply the laboratory with essential products and services.

NREL acquires a variety of products and services, all of which helps federally funded research and technologies reach the marketplace. The following types of goods or services are typically procured:

- Laboratory supplies/office supplies
- Scientific equipment and periodicals
- Computers/information technology
- Research and development services
- Technical support
- Construction
- Facilities management.

### Required

To receive NREL subcontracts and purchase orders, all vendors/subcontractors must be registered in the [Federal System For Award Management \(SAM\)](#). Registration is free but takes time, so please initiate the process as soon as possible.



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## Small Business Commitment

NREL is always looking for new vendors and subcontractors that can meet the lab's continuing requirements for goods, services, research and development, construction, and other laboratory needs.

Central to our mission is a strong commitment to small business, and we especially invite participation by small, disadvantaged, women-owned, HUBZone, veteran-owned, and disabled veteran-owned businesses. Also important to the laboratory are partnerships with suppliers that result in creative collaboration.

### Subcontracting

We can partner with your small, technology-based business to support the laboratory in the conduct of research and analysis and to improve the commercialization and deployment of clean energy technologies.

### Purchasing Equipment and Services

We purchase lab equipment supplies; office furnishings and supplies; and technical consulting, temporary staffing, and construction services.

### Resources

Download the [Transforming Energy Through Small Business brochure](#).

Complete our [Small Business Registration form](#) to join our subcontractor vendor database.

Watch NREL's [2022 Small Business Industry Day webinar](#).

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## Purchasing and Subcontracting Opportunities

NREL's procurement policy is based on effective and meaningful competition. View all purchasing and subcontracting opportunities below, and email the assigned contact for more information.

### Sources Sought Notices

Below are NREL Sources Sought Notices for contract opportunities on SAM.gov. NREL may publish the associated request for proposal on SAM.gov as well and use responses to invite vendors to propose to subsequent requests for proposal. Email the [programs and compliance team](#) with questions related to this process.

Title of Procurement	North American Industry Classification System Code for Procurement
<a href="#">Amplified Ti-Sapphire Laser</a>	334516 – Analytical Laboratory Instrument Manufacturing
<a href="#">Atomic-Resolution Transmission Electron Microscope for Cryo and In-Situ Microscopy</a>	334516 – Analytical Laboratory Instrument Manufacturing
<a href="#">Category and Industry Intelligence Reporting Services</a>	541614 – Process, Physical Distribution, and Logistics Consulting Services

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## Upcoming Opportunities

Recurring Products and Services (All Opportunities Pending Funding)	Solicitation Time Frame	Point of Contact
Construction	Winter 2022	<a href="mailto:Construction@nrel.gov">Construction@nrel.gov</a>
Janitorial/Custodial Services	Summer 2023	<a href="mailto:Construction@nrel.gov">Construction@nrel.gov</a>
Banking Agreement	Fall 2023	<a href="mailto:ASP.Team@nrel.gov">ASP.Team@nrel.gov</a>
Human Resources Insurance Broker	Spring 2024	<a href="mailto:ASP.Team@nrel.gov">ASP.Team@nrel.gov</a>
Refuse Collection and Recycling (Paper, Cardboard, Plastic, Glass, and Aluminum)	Spring 2025	<a href="mailto:Construction@nrel.gov">Construction@nrel.gov</a>
Moving and Storage	Fall 2025	<a href="mailto:Construction@nrel.gov">Construction@nrel.gov</a>
NREL Shuttle Service	Fall 2025	<a href="mailto:ASP.Team@nrel.gov">ASP.Team@nrel.gov</a>
Office Supplies	Fall 2025	<a href="mailto:Maurice.Nelson@nrel.gov">Maurice.Nelson@nrel.gov</a>

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# Questions & Assistance

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